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In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 10.

Please amend claims 11 and 12 as follows:

- 11. (amended) The method of claim 16 wherein the biological samples are serum.
- 12. (amended) The method of claim 16 wherein ${\rm PLA}_2$ is measured by ELISA.

Please add the following new claim:

- 16. A method of monitoring progression of ovarian or testicular cancer in a patient comprising:
- (a) measuring PLA_2 levels in biological samples obtained from a patient at selected times; and
- (b) comparing the measured PLA2 levels of step (a) wherein an increase in the measured levels of PLA2 in the patient over time is indicative of progressive ovarian or testicular cancer, a decrease in the measured levels of PLA2 in the patient over time is indicative of remission or response to therapy of the ovarian or testicular cancer and no change in the measured levels of PLA2 in the patient over time is indicative of stabilization of the ovarian or testicular cancer and no change in the measured levels of PLA2 in the patient over time is indicative of stabilization of the ovarian or testicular cancer.